Table 3: Proposed MOU between the Tahoe Regional Planning Agency and the Lahontan Water Board Regarding Vegetation Management Activities in the Lake Tahoe Region.

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Revision Number:	Existing TRPA & Water Board MOU:	Proposed for Vegetation Management MOU:
1	The existing MOU does not include an interagency approach for the regulation of vegetation management activities within the Lake Tahoe Region.	The proposed Vegetation Management MOU will specifically address duplicity in regulation and permitting between the TRPA and Water Board for fuel reduction and forest enhancement projects. The TRPA and the Lahontan Water Board are considering identifying the TRPA as the sole agency to regulate vegetation management activities in the Lake Tahoe Region. A provision of the Vegetation Management MOU may include the Lahontan Water Board in the review of vegetation management activities within the Lake Tahoe Region for projects that have the potential to impact water quality or the beneficial uses of waters of the State. This determination would be made based on a list of project thresholds. If any of the listed thresholds are exceeded by a proposed project, the TRPA will notify Lahontan Water Board staff early in the application or project consultation period of the vegetation management project proposal. The Vegetation Management MOU will not limit the existing authorities of the Lahontan Water Board to ensure compliance with any applicable federal or state laws, regulations, policies, or agreements, including but not limited to, the ability to take enforcement actions.